UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON AT SEATTLE

DERRICK RHOADES, and MILLICENT RHOADES, a married couple,

No. 2:19-cy-01669-RSM

Plaintiffs,

VS.

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STATE FARM MUTUAL AUTOMOBILE INSURANCE COMPANY, a foreign insurer,

Defendant.

STIPULATED MOTION AND ORDER ON STIPULATED MOTION TO REMAND CASE TO STATE COURT

## **STIPULATION**

Plaintiffs Derrick Rhoades and Millicent Rhoades, ("Plaintiffs") by and through their counsel Pellegrino L. Certa, and Defendant State Farm Mutual Automobile Insurance Company, by and through its counsel Heather M. Jensen and Jonathan R. Missen, hereby stipulate that this case shall be remanded back to state court as Defendant did not timely file its notice of removal. Plaintiffs filed their summons and complaint on September 9, 2019 and served State Farm via the Insurance Commissioner on September 16, 2019. Dkt, Ex. 1. State Farm filed its notice of removal of action on October 17, 2019, 31 days after service. See Dkt 1. Under 28 U.S.C. § 1446(b), State Farm's removal was untimely. Accordingly, the parties stipulate that this action should be remanded to King County Superior Court for further proceedings without costs to either party.

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	ORDER ON STIPULATION		
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17		Based on the foregoing stipulation, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the present case be	
18	remanded to King County Superior Court for further proceedings without costs to either party.		
19	IT IS SO ORDERED on this 26 day of November 2019.		
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21	RICAF	RICARDO S. MARTINEZ	
22	2 CHIEF	UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE	
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